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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

EXPEDITED PROCEDURE

Toshihiko INA, et al.

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For: BILL HANDLING MACHINE

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Sir:

The following Amendment and Remarks are submitted in response to the Office Action dated February 16, 2006 to which an extended response is due by June 16, 2006. Please amend the above-identified application as follows.